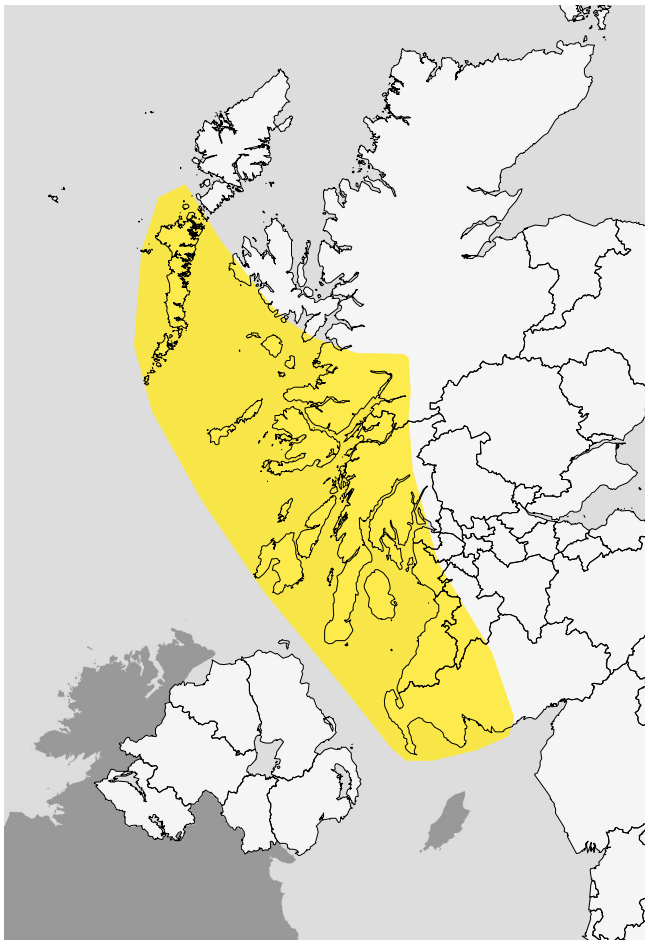
Yellow warning
Snow & Ice

Between
19:00 Tue 19 Nov 2024 and
10:00 Wed 20 Nov 2024



Snow and ice may lead to difficult travelling conditions on Tuesday evening, overnight and during Wednesday morning.

What to expect

- Some roads and railways likely to be affected with longer journey times by road, bus and train services
- Some injuries from slips and falls on icy surfaces
- Probably some icy patches on some untreated roads, pavements and cycle paths
- Some short term loss of power and other services is likely

Further details

Snow showers will affect this area during Tuesday evening and continue overnight into Wednesday morning, initially in the north of the area before spreading south later in the night. The showers may heavy at times and accompanied by lightning. Some lying snow is likely with 2-3 cm in places and a risk of 5 cm or more over higher ground. Ice will readily form on untreated surfaces.

What should I do?

Snowy, wintry weather can cause delays and make driving conditions dangerous.

Medium likelihood of low impacts

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Further Details (continued)

Keep yourself and others safe by planning your route, giving yourself extra time for your journey. Check for road closures or delays to public transport and amend plans if necessary.

Keep yourself and your family safe when it is icy. Plan to leave the house at least five minutes earlier than normal. Not needing to rush, reduces your risk of accidents, slips, and falls.

If driving, make sure you have some essentials in your car in the event of any delays (e.g., warm clothing, food, water, a blanket, a torch, ice scraper/de-icer, a warning triangle, high visibility vest and an in-car phone charger).

If you need to make a journey on foot, try to use pavements along main roads which are likely to be less slippery. Similarly, if cycling, try and stick to main roads which are more likely to have been treated.

Be prepared for weather warnings to change quickly: when a weather warning is issued, the Met Office recommends staying up to date with the weather forecast in your area.

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All regions & authorities affected

Highlands & Eilean Siar

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SW Scotland, Lothian Borders

Dumfries and Galloway

Strathclyde

Argyll and Bute East Ayrshire Inverclyde North Ayrshire Renfrewshire South Ayrshire

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